

**APPENDIX 8**

**ARCHAEOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

On July 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> of 2004, Bison Historical Services Ltd. carried out an archaeological survey of heritage sites in the vicinity of Summit Creek, some 60 kilometres south of Tulita, NWT. These investigations were carried out at the request of Northern EnviroSearch Ltd. on behalf of Northrock Resources Ltd.

Northrock proposes to drill an exploratory oil well at one of four possible locations near Summit Creek on the southwest flanks of the Flint Stone Range during the winter of 2004-2005. A single drill camp location is also proposed in connection with the drilling program. Each of the possible well sites and the camp location will require a short length of new access road connecting to an existing access road extending approximately 74 kilometres east to Mackenzie River before joining the Mackenzie River ice road. This existing access road was examined for heritage sites during the summer of 2003.

Pre-field investigations consisted of a review of all relevant records and files for known heritage sites that lie within or near the project areas. Fieldwork was based out of Tulita and carried out by helicopter over-flight and on foot. Exploratory shovel tests were excavated at each proposed well site and at the planned camp location. Investigations were carried out by Don Hanna of Bison Historical Services Ltd. and accompanied by Wilfred Lennie of Tulita, who acted as guide, advisor and wildlife monitor. Investigations were carried out under the terms of Northwest Territories Archaeologists Permit #2004-947.

No previously identified heritage sites lie near the proposed well sites, camp location or access roads. No unrecorded heritage sites were identified at the proposed well sites, camp location or access roads. **No known heritage sites will be impacted by the proposed Northrock Resources Ltd. drilling program.**